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BRISTOL'S MOST URGENT NEEDS AS SHOWN BY SURVEY FORM TOPIC FOR PANEL DISCUSSION BY CLUB

Many Suggestions Made As To What Should Be Done Here To Improve Community — Speakers Stress What They Think Are Most Important

Yesterday was "Citizenship Day" for The Travel Club.

A survey of business, professional, industrial and recreational groups of Bristol borough, which took place during the past few weeks, resulted in discussion in the club home regarding the most urgent needs for this community in 1950. The survey was conducted by personal interviews and letters on the part of members of the citizenship committee of The Travel Club of which Mrs. Clyde S. Betts, Sr., is chairman.

Among the suggestions which came in from persons in business and professional life, Travel Club members, and other residents of the borough, were the following listed as "urgent needs" for Bristol:

Intense face-lifting and cleaning-up in physical appearance; more playgrounds for children throughout the town; reduction in number of tap rooms; security (jobs for all bread-winners); better housing; bigger and better-equipped hospital; dental clinic; Community Chest; more adequate library; room for temporary confinement of mental patients; new high school and improved facilities in other schools; council of social agencies; a great spiritual awakening; re-assessment and placement on tax lists of every eligible person, etc.

Bristol's new burgess, I. Johnston Hetherington, Sr., was an outstanding participant in the program.

Six club members formed the panel, informing of their interviews or replies to letters as they sought answers from leaders of fraternal, religious, civic and other groups to three questions—"What is the most urgent need in the community of Bristol in 1950?"; "What does your organization do to meet these needs?"; and "What can we as citizens do to meet these needs?" Mrs. Betts, at the outset, informed that the survey was made "among persons most aware of our needs." She presented 15 suggestions as to Bristol's needs as submitted by Clyde J. Waterman, president of Bristol Chamber of Commerce, then invited her co-members on the panel to present their findings and make suggestions.

The needs as outlined by Mr. Waterman were as follows, each being followed by information on "what is being done about it":

1, An intense face lifting and cleaning-up in physical appearance; 2, beautification to the western entrance to the borough; 3, mosquito and insect control in the marsh and dump areas; 4, improvement to the public pier and grounds adjoining to the south; 5, development of the public park and playground areas; 6, more playgrounds for children throughout the town; 7, an occupant for the former Grundy mill; 8, more housing in the Bristol area; 9, an expanded annual youth week program; 10, municipal hall or auditorium; 11, beautification of the Silver Lake area; 12, traffic signal or traffic light at Green Lane and the highway; 13, practicing more efficiently our slogan "Build Bristol—Buy Bristol"; 14, improvement to the canal as a historical and aesthetic asset; 15, traffic light for new U. S. Route 13 and the PRR underpass at the Bristol cemetery.

After each panel participant took up her alloted section, guests were invited to participate as his or her field of work or knowledge was considered. Mrs. Richard T. Myers had investigated needs concerning the schools and Parent-Teacher Association; Mrs. Anthony Burton, youth work; Mrs. Harry T. Neher, industry and labor; Mrs. Frank S. Weik, ministerium and other religious organizations; Mrs. Lester Michael, better housing.

After result of the surveys had been made known, and discussed briefly by panel members, with occasional and brief participation by those in the audience, the following guests in some cases made answer to proposals, told of groundwork being laid in some instances to meet some suggested needs, or further enlightened by telling of experiences met or cooperation advanced on the part of the populace: Mrs. John Johnson, president of Bristol Parent - Teacher Association; John Burriss, guidance counsellor, Bristol high school; Warren P. Snyder, superintendent of Bristol public schools; the Rev. Edward G. Yeomans, pastor of Bristol Presbyterian Church, and an official of the Bristol Y. M. C. A.

After telling of an interview with officials of the local unemployment office, Mrs. Neher stated that in the opinion of several business men "the basic need of any community is security. We, as citizens or residents, may want many things, but unless we have jobs for all who are required to be bread-winners, the rest is impossible." She cited the interest of employers locally in their employees, and their realization that the employees should feel satisfied and secure in their work. Mention was made of forms of insurance or retirement benefits provided by some firms here for their workers, aside from government social security. Part of a quotation read by Mrs. Neher from Frank Flatch, of the local CIO office, was "We as citizens must keep in constant contact with our elected officials to see that they do their duty efficiently." Figures were quoted on unemployment in lower Bucks County.

That two members of Mill Street Business Men's Ass'n insisted one of the prime needs of the community is better housing was a bit of information presented by Mrs. Michael.

Mrs. Burton, taking up the subject of health, told of her interview with the state nurse stationed here, Mrs. Frank Lohr. One need suggested was a community nurse. The clinics now in existence in the borough were mentioned as: chest, venereal disease, child health and orthopedic. "Conditions would be improved by groups working together for a community nurse service and thus improved service to the community," commented Mrs. Burton. At this point Mrs. Betts told of aid given all worthy in time of need by the local branch of the Needlework Guild. Need of a dental clinic was mentioned by Mrs. Burton, also of a "bigger and better-equipped hospital;" and room for temporary confinment of mental patients. The work of Mrs. Marie Holland, a trained social service worker connected with Bristol Red Cross office, was given favorable comment. "Many are aided by her or directed to the proper agencies," the club members were informed. A point of information given was that at the county seat—Doylestown—there is located a mental health clinic to serve the entire county. The Travel Club's special fund, put at disposal of the high school guidance counsellor for use of those needing psychiatric treatment, was mentioned.

Mrs. Myers presented the "crying need for new schools," with enlightening information on this phase being given by Superintendent of public schools Warren P. Snyder. He replied: "We are still working on the new school building which is such a great local need. Very little school building has been done here for many years. . . . The last was in 1917, then in 1926 and 1928 additions were made. But over half a century has gone and nothing has been done toward putting up a high school that is really a modern high school building. We are working on plans again, and have bought a second plot of ground, the first one being disposed of at a fine profit." The educator added that "We are definitely planning a new building. . . . We go to Harrisburg next week in connection with the plans. . . . But I might add we are no further back than many of the other districts. It is impossible for any to build unless they have put plenty of money aside or have other resources." . . . "It is an urgent need for us in Bristol, and will be no small problem to solve. We hope you will give your full support to any action in the future." That the peak is expected in en-

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TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water .... 4.53 a. m.; 5.21 p. m.
Low water .... 12.05 p. m.

MARAGON ENTERS NOT GUILTY PLEA

JUST OUTSIDE the U. S. District Court in Washington, John Maragon (left), charged with lying to the Senate "Five Percenter" investigators, stops for a conference with his lawyer, William A. Kehoe. The one-time White House intimate entered a not guilty plea. (*International*)

NAME BENNETT COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Yardley Borough Legislative Body Organizes By The Election of Officers

REFUSE ANY SALARY

YARDLEY, Jan. 7 — George Bennett was elected president of the Borough Council at a reorganization meeting last night. James Colson was named treasurer and Frederick T. Bebbington, secretary.

Raymond Wiese, newly-elected Republican member, was sworn in by Burgess Fred A. Bebbington, along with Nelson Whitehead, Michael Derrick and Marshall Hay, who succeeded themselves. The three remaining members whose terms have not expired are George Bennett, Steven Rioch and Myles Furey.

Council declared the position of borough solicitor vacant and named the Yardley National Bank as its depository. As in the past, the members voted not to accept the $15 monthly compensation payable to them.

In a correspondence to the council, George Otto, president of the Penn Valley Construction Co., stated that the Cadwallader and Twining tracts had been re-zoned to the acceptance of all concerned.

Work has begun on the new Yardley Terrace development, Otto reported, adding that it is hoped that a house a week will be built during 1950. He said all construction would conform to federal housing and veterans housing requirements.

Rehabilitation Work Is Reported To Auxiliary

Reports were given at the January meeting of American Legion Auxiliary in Bracken Post home regarding Christmas work. The meeting last evening was in charge of Mrs. I. Johnston Hetherington, Sr.

Mrs. Alton Dettmer reported receiving acknowledgement of 10 ditty bags sent to Naval Hospital, Philadelphia. She told that $204 was spent on Christmas work for veterans by the rehabilitation committee. Mrs. Allen Lebo, Sr., chairman of child welfare, told that she had cared for eight families and seven additional children at the holiday season, and that $25 was spent on children's shoes alone.

Mrs. Marvel Durham, membership chairman, reported 136 members to date. Mrs. Robert Rue asked that members save merchandise coupons for the organization. Card party proceeds for December were listed by Mrs. Durham at $114.05.

With the Christmas party such a success, Mrs. John Wichser told of plans for an anniversary party in April. Mrs. Alton Dettmer presented report of Bi-County Council meeting, and informed that on January 19th the council session will be at Souderton post home. The January 16th pinochle party at the post home will be in charge of Mrs. Lawrence McCoy. Refreshment chairmen named for February meeting are Mrs. McCoy and Mrs. McCollick.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Walter Repella and Mrs. Janet Stoeckle.

Bristol Methodists Elect Three Trustees at Meeting

At a congregational meeting of the members of the Bristol Methodist Church, held last evening, the following were named as trustees: Roy F. Fry, Morris Carter and William A. Michalsky.

The meeting was held in a church room.

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BRISTOL LEADS IN MARRIAGE LICENSES

Past Year, However, Showed A Drop In County In Number Issued

JUNE NOT AS POPULAR

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 7 — There was a decrease in the number of applications for marriage licenses in Bucks county in the year just ended. The number issued was 1283 compared to 1485 for 1948. In June, 1948, there were 197 licenses issued.

As far as high quota honors in the county were concerned, Bristol topped the list with 266 candidates, Quakertown running second with 156, Doylestown third with her 113, Perkasie snared fourth place with 61 applicants, Langhorne fifth with 56 and Sellersville had 51.

A breakdown of all the months for the past year show that Cupid delivered 64 of the smitten to the local license bureau in January, 88 in February and 76 in March. One hundred put in application during April, 124 in May and the year's high of 174 applied for double harness in June. Undaunted by Summer's stifling heat, 100 signed the docket in July and 144 in August. In September the license total dropped to 132, with 106 during October, 92 in November and 81 in December.

Philadelphians continued to make a marrying mecca of the County Seat, with 589 orange blossom candidates, and statistics also showed that if you live in Billy Penn's City you'd have almost a two-to-one chance of marrying the boy next door, while nearly three-quarters of Doylestown's brides and grooms found mates outside the town proper. Thirty of the 113 Doylestown applicants chose marital partners from within its borders.

Divorce papers accompanied the

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joseph M. O'Neill and Leona Briar, both of Bristol, R. F. 1.

Ralph E. Buzby, and Shirley E. Betz, both of Quakertown.

Lawrence K. Ettari and Edith C. Shearer, both of New Hope.

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BUILDING HERE SHOWED A JUMP DURING LAST YEAR

Permits Were Issued For An Estimated Total of $595,-515 of Construction

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Numerous Permits Issued But Construction Has Not As Yet Been Started

Building permits totalling $595,-515 were issued by Bristol borough during 1949. This total included building and construction of various kinds, such as factory buildings, garages and display rooms, banking house, overpass, residences, garages, porches, and alterations and additions of minor character. It also included the altering of private residences into apartment houses.

All of the construction for which permits were issued has not been completed, and in a number of instances has not even been started. Some who contemplated building applied for permits, anticipating the passing of a zoning law in Bristol which would more or less affect the plans they had in mind.

Sixth ward heads the list in total listed for new construction, the amount being $194,450.

The new construction according to wards is: 1st, $214,550; 2nd, $7,-500; 3rd, $1,100; 4th, $36,000; 5th, $33,500; 6th, $194,450.

Alterations total as follows in the various wards: 1st, $24,600; 2nd, $20,200; 3rd, $2,500; 4th, $5,740; 5th, $21,150; 6th, $61,925.

Among some of the larger pro-

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DR. EDWARD ROBERTS WILL PREACH LOCALLY

Dean of Students, Princeton, N. J., Theological Seminary, To Be Guest

BRISTOL CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. Edward H. Roberts, D.D., dean of students at Princeton, N. J., Theological Seminary, will be the guest speaker at the morning service in Bristol Presbyterian Church on Sunday. News of other Bristol church services is herewith outlined:

Bristol Presbyterian Church

The Rev. Edward G. Yeomans, minister: Sunday 9.30 a. m., the quiet hour; 9.45 a. m., Church School, Fred R. Herman, superintendent; 11, morning worship with message "The Three Lights" by the Rev. Edward H. Roberts, D.D., dean of students at Princeton (N. J.) Theological Seminary; 6.45 p. m., Intermediate Christian Endeavor; seven p. m., Senior Christian Endeavor; eight, evening worship with sermon by the pastor, "Worldliness."

Monday 7.30 p. m. Christian Workers School in Bristol Methodist Church; eight p. m., Alpha Bible Class meeting at the home of Mrs. Paul V. Forster, 507 Radcliffe street; eight p. m., men's Bible class social in the church; Tuesday, eight p. m., Women's Guild meeting in the Church, the program will center about the term of "Good Neighbor." The womens' organizations from the several churches of Bristol have been invited, and various groups

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LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

20 DIE IN FLASH FIRE, MENTAL HOSPITAL

Davenport, Ia.—Twenty persons, 19 of them patients, died today in a flash fire which roared through the mental ward at Davenport's Mercy Hospital.

Coroner C. H. Wildman said that 20 bodies, only four of them identified thus far, have been removed from the ruins of the three-story brick structure.

He said estimates of the number in the building when the fire broke out at about 2 a. m. varied from 63 to 68. He said 36 persons are known to have escaped the flames, leaving a total missing of from seven to 12.

Authorities fear that many if not all the missing perished in the ruins of the building, every window and door of which was barred by stout steel bars.

Dayton Hit by Half-Million Dollar Fire

Dayton, O.—A half-million dollar fire that attacked one of Dayton's most valuable downtown business blocks was brought under control today after a seven-hour battle.

Thirty-five firemen were overcome by smoke or injured in falls from a five-story building which was destroyed by the flames.

Woman Begins Sentence for Selling Child

Cincinnati, O.—The mother of four children is to begin a one-to-three-year sentence in prison today for selling her 10-day-old child to a strange couple for eight dollars. Mrs. Mabel Swanton, of Stark, Fla., was sentenced in Cincinnati to serve her prison term in the Ohio Reformatory for Women at Marysville, O.

EXPRESS GRAVE CONCERN FOR METHOD OF HANDLING HUGE VOLUME OF TRAFFIC WHICH WILL FLOW FROM THE EASTERN TERMINUS OF TURNPIKE INTO BUCKS COUNTY

Test Pilot in 2 Wars Said To Have Ended Own Life

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 7—(INS)—A retired Air Force colonel who had been a test pilot in both world wars was declared a suicide yesterday by Dr. Frederick Ort, Bucks County Deputy Coroner.

The victim, Arthur Emil Simonin, 61, was found shot to death in his home, Cedar Crest Farm, on Bristol road, near Chalfont.

He retired five years ago after commanding the Army Air Forces in the Buffalo, N. Y., District, for seven years.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All in The Various Communities

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NEWPORTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schmidt, Fallsington, announce the engagement of their daughter Joan, to Oscar Cliver, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cliver, of Newport Heights. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Watson Sine is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Transue, West Creek, N. J.

Mrs. Allison Tibbetts was hostess to the Friendship Club on Wednesday afternoon.

EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chase entertained on New Years day: Mrs. Viola Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hooley, Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. John Chase and children "Jackie", "Betty" and "Jimmy," Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nickerson, Tullytown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. VanDongen and children, Carol, Barbara and David spent Sunday in Philadelphia, as dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bardberger. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. William Bohanan, Philadelphia.

Miss Sue Smith, Harrisburg, is spending a week visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walsh, Dr. Floyd Whitebread, Philadelphia, was also a guest at the walsh home over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfinger entertained at dinner on Sunday, Mr.

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Death Occurs on Friday For Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt, Sr.

NEWPORTVILLE, Jan. 7—A former resident of Fergusonville, and former member of Newportville Community Church — Presbyterian and the Cheerful Workers died last evening. The deceased is Mrs. Jane E. Nesbitt, Philadelphia, widow of William Nesbitt, Sr.

Death occurred in Frankford Hospital, Philadelphia, where a week previous Mrs. Nesbitt had undergone an operation. She was a native of England, but resided for most of her life-time in Philadelphia.

Her survivors are a daughter, Mrs. John Wallace, Rogers road, Bristol township; two sons, Robert and William, Jr., Philadelphia; and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Nesbitt was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Mayfair. Her husband died in 1946, shortly after the two celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary.

Service is arranged for Tuesday afternoon at a funeral home in Mayfair, with relatives and friends also invited to call there Monday evening. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park.

Ill Two Months, Death Claims Mrs. John V. King

After two months illness, Mrs. Annie King, widow of John V. King, died early this morning in Abington Hospital. A native of Summitt Hill, she had lived in Bristol for eight years.

Her survivors are three daughters and a son, Mrs. Benjamin Valentine, James Lamb, Tamaqua; Mrs. Edward Haldeman, Bristol; Mrs. David George, Bloomsdale road; a sister, Mrs. C. Roos, Mahanoy City; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are invited to the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Haldeman, 1618 Wilson avenue, Tuesday at nine a. m. High Requiem Mass will be sung in St. Mark's R. C. Church at 10 o'clock. Interment is to be made in St. Jerome Cemetery, Tamaqua. Friends may call Monday evening.

Problem Being Studied by Greater Phila.-S. Jersey Council, Bucks County Division—Problem is considered From All Angles at Meeting in Bensalem Township—Wallace Murfit, Bucks County Chairman, Names Committee to Study the Situation.

Grave concern is being felt as to the method for handling the huge volume of traffic which it is estimated will flow into Bucks County from the eastern termination of the Pennsylvania Turnpike now in course of construction. The problem is being studied by the Greater Philadelphia-South Jersey Council, Bucks County Division. The subject was taken up in detail last evening at a meeting called by the Bucks County Division at Becker Farms Inn, Bensalem Township.

Wallace Murfit, Newtown, chairman of Bucks County Division, was the presiding officer. He called upon General Brenton G. Wallace, chairman of the Greater Phila.-South Jersey Council, as the first speaker. General Wallace's address was brief. He outlined the five points of interest to the council as a whole, namely: 1, Highways (mentioning U. S. population in 1940 was 132 million, with 152 million estimated for this census, and tremendous increase in number of automobiles in next 10 years with anticipated increase of 25 million population); 2, sewage disposal; 3, airports; 4, development of ports (Delaware River basin, Trenton, N. J., to Chester); 5, transportation (bus and rail). In this connection General Wallace listed highways as one of the most important points of consideration for the council.

Wallace opened the evening's discussion, pointing out that "by December the hope is to have completed the new Penna. Turnpike, and this will pour thousands of automobiles off at King of Prussia, near Norristown. The city of Philadelphia has planned the Schuylkill express way at a cost of $25,000,000 to carry city traffic into Philadelphia."

Clement C. Conole, executive director of Phila. Chamber of Commerce, informed the group that "industry in this particular area is not expanding. In the first 11 months of 1949 new industries employing 900 in the greater Phila. area were started, but at the same time the area lost 40 industries with employment for 3,000." He advised that the Phila. Chamber of Commerce has set up a fund of $50,000 and an additional $100,000 has been promised by business men to be aimed directly at stimulating attraction of industry into the area. He added there is active prospect list of 2600 firms.

Bucks County's concern in the matter of highway traffic which will pour into Bucks County was then given undivided attention. Dr. Frank M. Majewski, of Rohm & Haas Co., spoke regarding pollution abatement laws which are designed for betterment of all concerned. He informed that industry cannot go on promiscuously wasting water. "The water table at Bristol is dropping 10 feet per year. We can't continue to denude the landscape of forests and permit water to go into the salt areas so rapidly. We will have to seek settlement of the plight on streams and rivers. The only way is to clean them up."

Victor L. Sanderson, Rushland, chairman of Bucks County highway committee under Mr. Murfit's leadership, told the group that when the vehicles in question leave the Pennsylvania Turnpike near Norristown, those coming toward Bucks County will average 4,122 passenger cars and 960 trucks in an 18 hour day. This means four passenger cars a minute, he advised. These figures were quoted from a survey of the Greater Philadelphia-South Jersey Council staff, they being based on present travel on completed sections of the turnpike. Mr. Sanderson advised that Norristown has had the state officials by-pass Norristown by building a new Route 202 north of that city. "If all this traffic, bound for northern New Jersey, New York and New England is poured into Bucks County how will it be handled?" was the important question posed.

The main problem before the group appeared as a solution to handling this great volume of traffic, particularly in the towns through which it will flow. Some consideration was given to the proposed Bristol-Quakertown highway, part of which has been completed, but this would be of aid mainly to traffic bound for the northern part of Bucks County, alleviating congestion only to a minor degree.

Mr. Murfit named a committee of several men, including Sanderson and Bucks County Commissioner Simon K. Moyer, to study the situation and learn how present plans of the Pennsylvania Highway Committee are designed to compensate for conditions which will arise.

MOTHERS OF BROWNIES

Mothers of members of Brownie Troop, No. 51, will meet at the home of Mrs. E. W. Bilger, 213 Market street, on Monday at 7.30 p. m.

RE-ELECT RIGBY AS FIRE COMPANY PRES'T

Officers Also Chosen For Cornwells Firemen's Relief Ass'n

THE ALARMS FOR 1949

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Jan. 7—With 66 present, members of Cornwells Fire Co., No. 1, elected officers for 1950 on Thursday evening. J. Alfred Rigby, Jr., president, was re-elected to that post.

Others named are: Vice president, J. Maurice Tomlinson; secretary, John McIntyre; treasurer, Harold Jackson; trustee, Calvin Freas; chief, William E. Irvin; ass't chiefs—1st, Edward Dyer, 2nd, Elliott Dietch, 3rd, Glenn Cobleigh; engineer, Stanley Vansant.

Officers were also chosen for the firemen's relief association, formed last year, and effective this year. The officers are: President, Mr. Rigby; vice president, Mr. Tomlinson; secretary, Mr. McIntyre; treasurer, Mr. Jackson; directors, Messrs. Dietch, Irvin and Vansant.

Report on calls answered during 1949 follows: Field fires, 56; houses, 12; cars, trucks, 11; factory buildings, 3; barn, 1; utility pole, 1; test runs, 2; false alarms, 2; special calls, 10. An average of 16 men answered the alarms.

Budget is Outlined By Hulmeville School Board

HULMEVILLE, Jan. 7—Some time was given last evening by Hulmeville school board to outlining the budget for the coming year. The directors anticipate being in the "black."

They also discussed possibility of erection of a new high school for Langhorne-Middletown district, of which Hulmeville is a part, and the effect such would have on Hulmeville district.

Members of the board discussed report made by the Pennsylvania Economy League to the joint school board, which will be made public at a public meeting in the near future. The joint board is planning this session.

Dr. N. P. Larson presided.

CROYDON

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Altseimer are being congratulated upon the birth of a daughter in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, on Jan. 3rd. She has been named Elaine Carol. She weighed 8 lbs., 4 ozs.

HULMEVILLE

On Wednesday Miss Emma Pearson entertained at her home in Frankford, several women of Neshaminy Methodist Church, at a covered dish luncheon.

WOMAN TO EDIT NEWSPAPER

Miss Nancy B. Palmer, Langhorne, has been named as editor of the Delaware Valley Advance, Langhorne. Miss Palmer will succeed Lester S. Thomas, Churchville. Miss Palmer has been a free lance since 1943.

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SMALLER AUTOMOBILES!

New car season is always a fascinating time. Regardless of whether there is enough money in the bank account to acquire one of the gleaming beauties — with redesigned grille — from the Detroit assembly lines, new cars are fun to read about. Advance news on the new models now going on public display is as exciting as usual, but in one case, at least, there may be the inkling of a significant trend.

Two model lines of one make car are to be five inches shorter over-all than the same models produced last year. The promotional ballyhoo says this will make for greater ease in parking. That's a fine sales angle, to be sure, but the ad copy writers have overlooked something bigger. In a crowded city — what city isn't these days — 1,000 of these new shorter cars would take up 400 lineal feet less curb space than the same number of 1949 models.

National traffic authorities have predicted that almost every city of more than 100,000 population will be in a mess 10 years hence if drastic redesigning of traffic patterns isn't carried out. But if the solution of traffic and parking problems is to be found in smaller automobiles, public thinking regarding what is and what isn't desirable in the car would need to be reversed.

The abbreviated, tinny European type car has never found favor in the United States. Perhaps people don't feel as safe in them, surrounded in traffic by trucks that resemble freight cars, as they do in larger automobiles.

SAFETY IN MANNERS

Emily Post has written "the bluebooklet of traffic etiquette." It is called "Motor Manners" and has been published by National Highway Users Conference Inc. as a public service.

It might be concluded the fact that Mrs. Post long has been recognized as the most eminent authority on social niceties does not necessarily make her such an authority on traffic etiquette. But the fundamentals of good manners are the same, whether at the table, in the drawingroom or on the streets and highways. And whether women and men are to be considered ladies and gentlemen depends upon how they act.

There is nothing new or unusual in the "code of courtesy" for motorists and pedestrians in Mrs. Post's "Motor Manners." Her ideas of traffic behavior for "all who would be well-mannered drivers and pedestrians" can be summed up in four words — courteous consideration for others.

The person who remembers and heeds Mrs. Post's advice that "courtesy in an automobile is always one's best assurance of safety" will conscientiously abide by traffic regulations and will not be "an accident going somewhere to happen."

Dr. Edward Roberts Will Preach Locally

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will participate in the program. Members of Circle No. 5, Mrs. Edward Hetherington, chairman, will serve as hostesses.

Wednesday, eight p. m., prayer and bible study group meeting; Thursday, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m., sewing program, Mrs. Christine Swickard, chairman; 7.45 p. m., Boy Scout Troop No. 2, meeting in the church; eight p. m., senior choir rehearsal.

St. James' P. E. Church

Services for First Sunday after Epiphany: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9.30 a. m., Church School and Bible classes; 11, morning prayer and sermon.

In the Christmas offering $1000 was given by the women's organizations, and $25 was given by St. James Social League. St. James' Social League will conduct a mobile cake sale on Jan. 14th. Cakes, pies and cookies will be collected and delivered by members of the League.

The flowers on the altar tomorrow will be in memory of the late Lewis Wettling, a late vestryman of the parish.

Calvary Baptist Church

On Green Lane, Lehman Strauss, pastor: Tonight at 7.45 the sound film in color, "China Challenge," will be shown. The film was taken recently in China by a group of Christians and is said to be one of the most revealing films ever shown on conditions in that country. It will expose what Communism is doing to China and the Chinese people.

Sunday, 9.45 a. m., Bible school; 11 a. m., worship service, choir, message by the pastor, 6.45 p. m., young people's meetings; 7.45 p. m., evangelistic service, orchestra, special music, message by the pastor.

Monday, 7.30 p. m., teacher training class will be resumed; Tuesday, 7.45 p. m., praise and prayer service; Wednesday, 7.45 p. m., monthly meeting of Gleaners in the S. S. room; Thursday, 7.45 p. m., choir rehearsal.

Zion Lutheran Church

Jefferson avenue and Wood street, the Rev. Paul H. Gleichman, pastor; Miss Lois Bolton, organist; Frederick J. Veigel, choir director; Sunday school, 9.45 a. m., departments led by Miss Katharine Beck, Mrs. Frank Weik, Mrs. Alfred Scheetz; morning worship, 11, with administration of Holy Communion and communion meditation, "Members One of Another"; nursery for children during the service, Miss Henrietta Schrenk, director; Luther League, six p. m.; evening worship, seven, with administration of Holy Communion and sermon, "The Impulse to Refuse."

Monday, seven p. m., troop 42, Boy Scouts; eight p. m., Lutheran Guild; 8.30 p. m., church council; Tuesday, 7.30 p. m., teachers' association; Wednesday, four p. m., junior choir; Thursday, four p. m., confirmation class; seven p. m., senior choir; 7.30 p. m., Old Testament study-group.

First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church, Cedar and Walnut streets, W. E. Hakes, pastor; Sunday, 9.45 a. m., Bible School; 11, morning worship with the Rev. I. V. Neprash giving the message; young peoples groups, 6.45 p. m.; evening service, 7.45, with group singing, special music and message by Mr. Neprash.

Monday, eight p. m., meeting of board of trustees; Wednesday, 7.30 p. m., "Hour of Power"; 8.30 p. m., senior choir rehearsal; Thursday, seven p. m., Happy Bible Hour for children; Saturday, six p. m., deacon's prayer meeting.

Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour

Wood street and Lincoln avenue: Morning worship with services in English and Italian, at 10 o'clock; Sunday School, under leadership of Ralston Hedrick, 11 o'clock; evening service, seven o'clock.

Thursday, children's service, at 3.30; young people's service and choir practice at eight o'clock.

Here and There Bucks County Towns

EDGELY

Continued from Page One

and Mrs. George Snyder, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kiddy, Bristol, in honor of Mr. Snyder's birthday anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfinger were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Clothier, Phila.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Michel, Sr., and grandson, Bruce Michel, spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Michel, Jr., Morrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bentliff entertained on New Years: Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Piscopo and son Robert, Mrs. Emma Clawges and children Joan, Doris, Charles and "Jack," Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. William Woodward, Sr., and children Barbara and William, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown spent Sunday in Bustleton as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Tuckey. On Monday they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hummel and Mrs. Eva Ulmer, Riverside, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hornig, Trenton, N. J.; Edward Mitchell, Morrisville, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Palowez were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palowez.

Mrs. S. Minkema, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Walker spent Sunday at Hightstown, N. J. They were guests of Mrs. Cora Bogard.

New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wood were Mrs. Cora Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jester and children Gary and Diana.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian DeWild entertained over New Years their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Baker and "Billy" and "Bobby" Baker, Passiac, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoogstreger and children Roy and "Judy," Maywood, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hoogerhyde, Jr., and children Ellen, Anthony and Eugene, and Anthony Hoogerhyde, Sr., and a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rittler spent New Years at Westville, N. J. as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Philippi.

"Kathy" Bentliff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bentliff, is confined to her home with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfinger and Mr. and Mrs. John Kiddy and daughter Jean were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ramsey. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Childs and Mr. and Mrs. George Childs, Phila.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroder spent New Years in Newtown with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Klaiber.

Mr. and Mrs. Girard Optof, Rutherford, N. J., were Saturday dinner guests of Miss Marcella Budzyko.

Miss I. Walters, Phila., weekended with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown.

Mrs. Henry VanRee, Mrs. Adrian Dewinde, Mrs. Louis King, and Mrs. S. Minkema were dinner guests of Mrs. William Hoostra, Morrisville, on Thursday.

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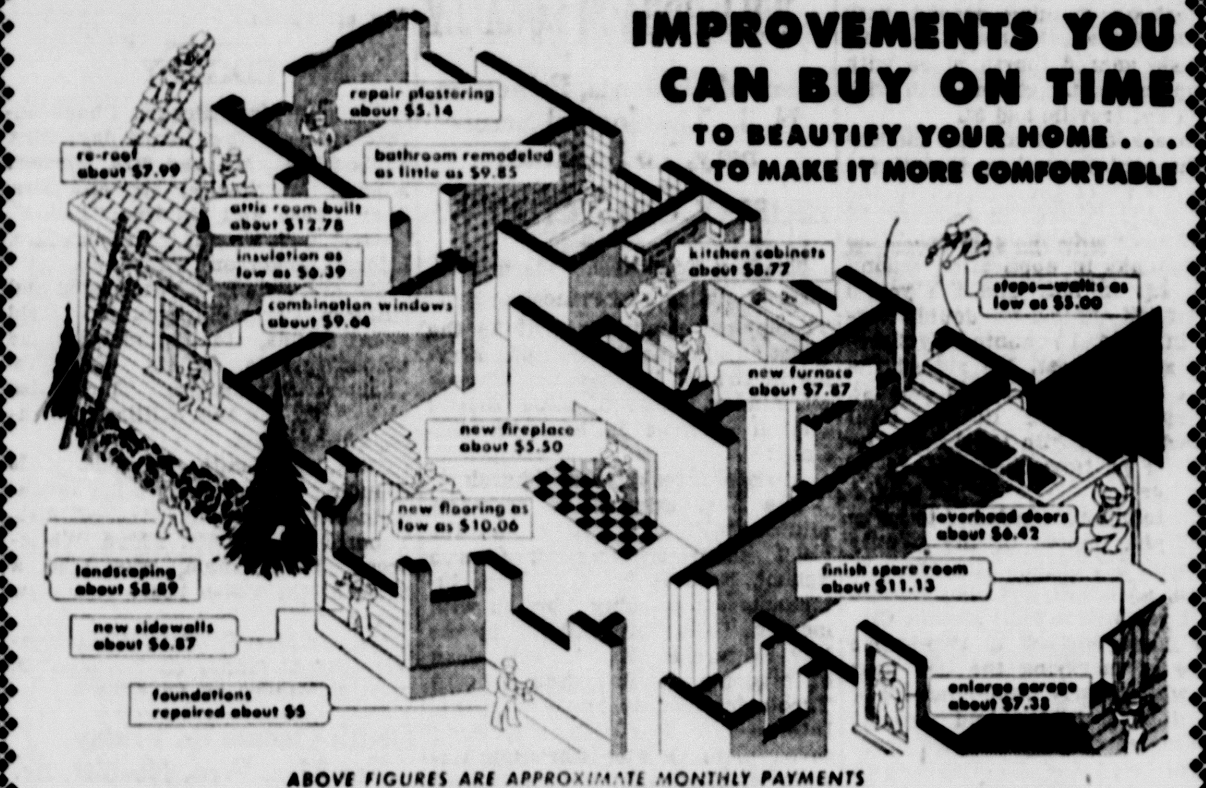

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KING—Of Bristol, Pa., January 7, 1950. Annie, wife of the late John V. King. Relatives and friends are invited to her daughter's residence, Mrs. Edward Haldeman, 1618 Wilson Ave., on Tuesday at 9 a. m. High Requiem Mass at 10 o'clock, in St. Mark's Church. Interment St. Jerome Cemetery, Tamaqua. Friends may call Monday evening.

In Memoriam 3

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Young Women of Newtown Club To Hear Marvin Keller

NEWTOWN, Jan. 7 — The young women of Newtown Junior New Century Club will be addressed on Tuesday evening by the Hon. Marvin Keller, a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature.

Assemblyman Keller is at present employed as treasurer of Newtown borough school board. He is a graduate of Rider College, Trenton, N. J.; and member of Newtown Exchange Club, the Masonic order, and Newtown Methodist Church.

In his talk to the Jr. New Century Club, Assemblyman Keller will explain the functions and procedure of the State Legislature and answer questions concerning its operation. His talk is part of a project of the Jr. New Century Club to inspire its members to take an active interest in the operations of government. The project also includes sending representatives to the Borough Council. School Board and Board of Health meetings and active participation in any project for the improvement of the town.

Today's Quiet Moment

By Philip Henry
Pastor
Bensalem Presbyterian Church

Felix said, "Go thy way for this time; and when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee." (Acts 24:25)

Paul was reasoning with Felix to become a Christian. Felix seemed to be convinced of its truth, but was not ready to take the step of accepting Christ as his personal Savior. He wanted to put it off until tomorrow.

Remember the rich man that wanted to pull down his barns, and build greater ones to keep his goods, But God said, "Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee." Countless thousands have been lost saying tomorrow when they should have said today.

Our Prayer: Lord Jesus, make us pure in Thy sight. Amen.

In a Personal Way - - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, or your news correspondent, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing at The Courier office.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bucca, Trenton, N. J., are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son on Monday in St. Joseph's Hospital, Phila. The baby weighed 8 lbs., 2 oz., and has been named Salvitore Lenni. Mrs. Bucca will be remembered as the former Miss Tana Cullura, Dorrance street.

Mrs. Martha Murray, Morrisville, and Mr. and Mrs. James Doster and daughter, Gail, Fallsington, were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Summers, Fleetwing road. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Summers and daughter Linda were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, Morrisville.

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cunningham and daughter Mareline and son Alexander, Drexel Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long, Wilson avenue. During the holiday, Dr. and Mrs. James Cunningham and sons, James, Paul and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long, Sr., and sons David and Donald, Phila., were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Vandenberg and sons George, Gary and "Freddie," and George J. Vandenberg, Roosevelt street, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, Rutherford, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Nickle, Clifton, N. J.

During the holiday season Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kringe and daughter Karen, Jackson street, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cramner and Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell, Morrisville. Mary Susan Kringe spent two days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kringe, Eddington.

Over the holiday Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morris, Fleetwing road, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gregor and son Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Millert, Mr. and Mrs. William Binkowski and daughter Joan, Mr. and Mrs. James Mild and children Caroline and James, Jr. Trenton, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dembinski, New Brunswick, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Serrill Appleton and sons John and "Billy", Berkeley Heights, week-ended with Mrs. Appleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Force, Washington street. They also visited Mr. Appleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Appleton, Lafayette street.

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. Howard Appleton entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. William White and daughters Dorothy and Doris, Morrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Chance and Joseph Chance, Leesburg, N. J., and Miss Mary Del Rossi, Port Norris, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Chance, Wilson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weidner and son Kurt, Telford, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McDonnell, Sr., Bath road. On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. McDonnell entertained at cards. Refreshments were served to: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. William Lilley, Mrs. Amelia Rafferty, Miss Ann McDonnell, and Mr. and Mrs. Weidner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. White and daughter Linda, of Indiana, Pa., were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mothersbaugh, Winder Village. New Year's dinner guests included: Mr. and Mrs. George Mothersbaugh, Boalsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bubeck and son Robert, Roslyn; Mrs. W. H. Smith and granddaughter Lana Rodets, Newtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Townsend, Jr., and sons "Dick" and "Jack," of Philipsburg, spent from Thursday until Monday with Mrs. Townsend's mother, Mrs. Joseph Burtonwood, Beaver street. On New Year's day, Mr. and Mrs. Townsend and family, Mrs. Burtonwood and daughter "Betty," were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston, Beaver street.

Miss Emily Raylman, of Holmesburg, was a guest on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brodie and Mrs. Russell Carty, Pond street.

Mrs. Pauline Hemple, Leslie and James Hemple and Miss Jane Atkinson, Phila., were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hughes, McKinley street.

Mrs. Catherine Bewley, Morrisville, spent a few days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard David, Bristol street.

The past two weeks were spent by Mrs. Bertha Hess, Pittsburgh, with Mr. and Mrs. William Borchers, Madison street.

Mrs. Robert VanAken, McKinley street, was a guest on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Schaeffer, Philadelphia.

On New Year's eve a group attended a "movie" in Trenton, N. J., in celebration of the 16th birthday anniversary of Miss Audrey Poulette, Jackson street. After the show the party returned to the Poulette residence, where refreshments were served. Hats were used as favors. The evening was enjoyed by: The Misses Nancy Poulette, Eddington; "Kay" David, Betty McCarthy; Mrs. Walter Poulette and Mrs. John Whyno. Miss Poulette received gifts.

During the holiday season Mr. and Mrs. Howard Appleton, Lafayette street, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Miller, Jr., and Mrs. Irene Sharp, Monroe street. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Russell Everett, Croydon, joined the group for a social time. From Saturday until Monday Mrs. Edna Backman, Willow Grove, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ballinger, Maple Shade; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crooker, Bristol, were guests at tea on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gamble, Langhorne. Other guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas James, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong and son Robert, Jr., Langhorne; Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong and Miss Mildred Armstrong, Cheltenham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fallon and family, Wycombe; Mr. and Mrs. John Derr and daughter Ellen, Philadelphia, were dinner guests on New Year's Day of Mr. and Mrs. John Fallon, Nelson Court.

A card club was formed on Tuesday evening when a group was entertained at the home of Mrs. Earl Mullin, Walnut street. The club was named the "Friendship Club." Cards were played and prizes given. Refreshments were served to: Mrs. M. Bakelaar, Mrs. Adam Boone, Mrs. John Buck, Mrs. John Fraser, Mrs. Howard Fennimore, Mrs. George Shire, Bristol;; and Mrs. Helen Nichols, Tullytown.

Miss Doris Plumber, Atlantic City, N. J., was a guest over the week-end of Mrs. Bessie Boyle, Madison St.

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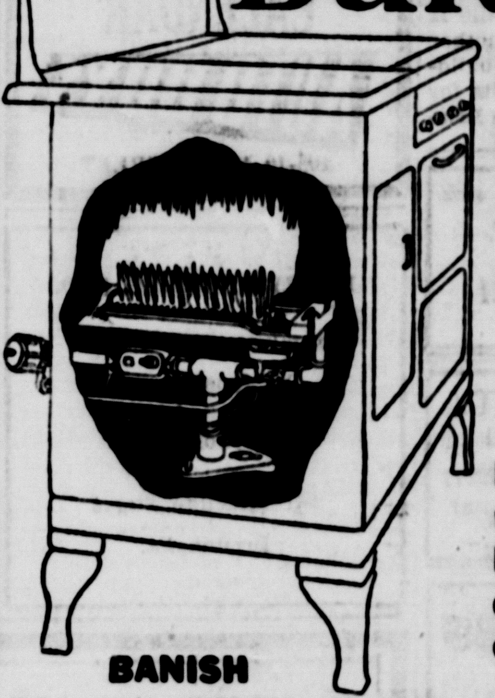

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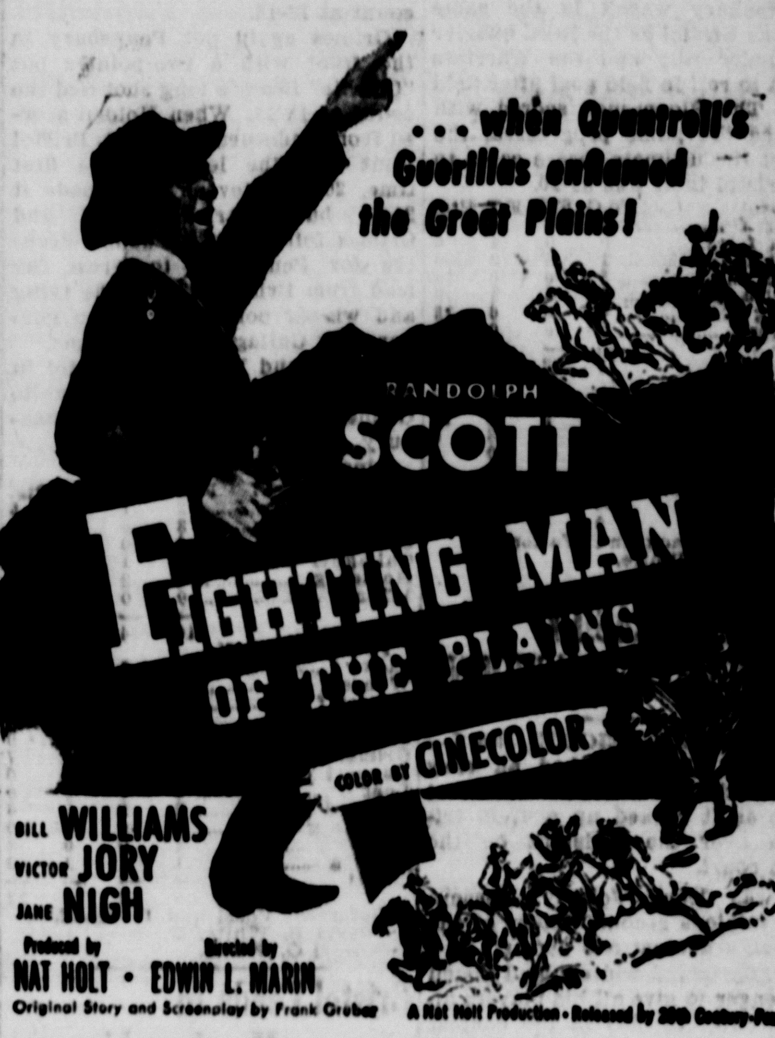

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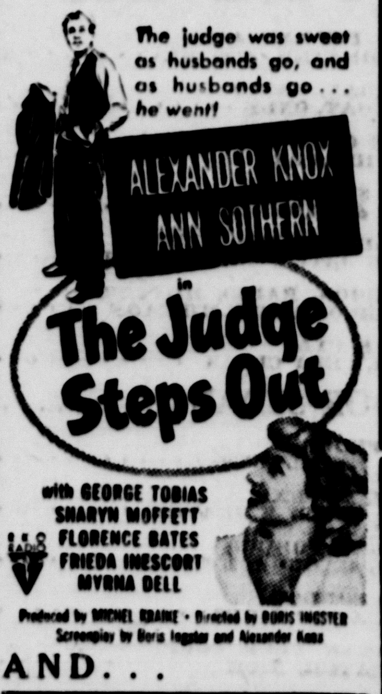

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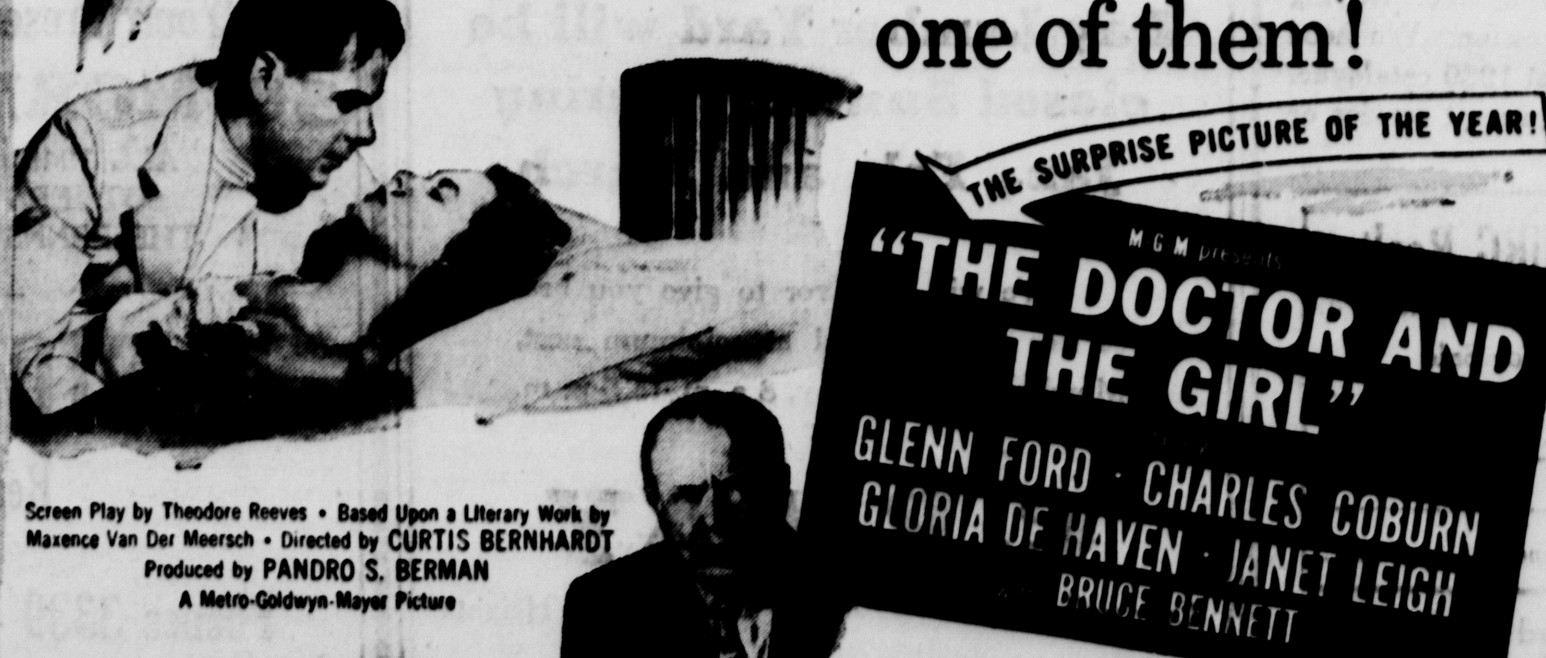

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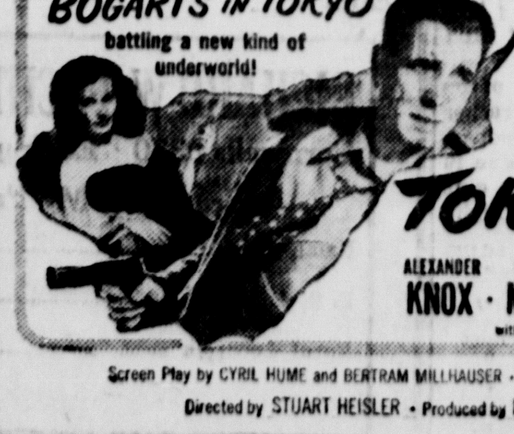

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HIGH SCHOOL WINS 1ST GAME IN THE LR. BUCKS GROUP

TRENTON, Jan. 7 — The Bristol High scoring machine failed to function until the second-half last night as it won its first Lower Bucks County League game of the season, downing Pennsbury High, 42-24, on the Parker School floor. It was the third win of the season for the Warriors and the second loss for Pennsbury.

The first half of the tilt was played in scoreless fashion. The count was knotted at 4-4 in the first quarter and 8-7 in favor of Bristol at the half-way mark. Bristol had a 4-0 lead at the start on fielders by Frank Barbetta and "Bill" Condit but "Charlie" Saunders and John Paone evened it for Pennsbury with double-deckers.

Perry's foul and another fielder by Paone at the start of the second session put Coach Harry Wyckoff's team ahead, 7-4, but Joe Pindar made a pair of fouls and thirty seconds before the midway whistle sounded, "Vic" Cauti put Bristol in front, 8-7.

Pennsbury wasn't in the same class as Bristol as the third quarter got under way and the Warriors began to roll in field goal after field goal. The Bloom-men scored with ease as the game progressed, the closest the ultimate losers came to the Bristol total was 34-20.

Bristol	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	F.T.	Pts.
Pindar f	2	3	10	7
Rauch f	0	0	1	0
Condit f	1	1	2	3
Rich c	5	0	0	10
Barbetta g	3	3	5	9
Cauti g	4	5	6	13
Grant g	0	0	0	0
	15	12	24	42

Pennsbury	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	F.T.	Pts.
Hibbs f	2	0	2	4
Paone f	5	2	3	12
Fritz c	1	3	8	5
Peaker c	0	0	0	0
Perry g	0	1	2	1
Saunders g	1	0	3	2
	9	6	18	24

Referees: Zack and Walters.
Timer: B. White.
Scorer: G. White.

BENSALEM EASILY WINS OVER LANGHORNE

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Jan. 7—Bensalem Township had an easy time with Langhorne High last night as it racked up a 47-15 triumph over the Redskins on the home court.

It was Coach "Johnny" Messenger's minions second victory of the campaign against one defeat.

The one-sided win enabled Coach Messenger to give all his players an opportunity to play in the contest with one of his reserve players, "Charlie" Boulanger, notching 12 points. Bensalem led at half-time, 27-8.

In the first game of the night, the Langhorne Junior High team nosed out Bensalem Junior High, 29-27.

Lineups:

Bensalem	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
Whitfield f	3	0	6
Dwyer f	1	0	3
Bowman f	3	0	6
Smith c	3	0	6
King c	0	0	0
Oliver g	1	1	3
Boulanger g	6	0	12
Bader g	2	1	5
Martin g	3	1	7
	22	3	47

Langhorne	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
Schneider f	1	0	2
Carber f	1	3	5
Tobias f	1	2	4
Dettenger c	0	0	0
Peal g	0	0	0
Lex g	1	0	2
Townsend g	1	0	2
Shapcott g	0	0	0
	5	5	15

Referees: Dick and Bauroth.
Timer: Reid.
Scorer: Padbury.

Fifth Ward Out To Stop Profy Team Winning Streak

The Fifth Ward Sporting Club will be out to stop the two-game winning streak of the Profy team tomorrow night when the clubs clash in a Bristol Basketball League game on the Rohm and Haas floor.

In the second tilt, Rohm and Haas will meet Franklin A. C. Tap-off takes place at 7.30 o'clock.

The Warders, under the management of Seddie Caro, beat the Hibernians in the first game and then lost to Franklin. They will be at their fullest strength against the radiomen with "Dick" Hogan at center, "Chick" DeAngelo and Joe Potena, forwards; and Sam Perlerb and Frank Costantino as guards.

The Profymen are unbeaten, having scored triumphs over Rohm and Haas and Franklin. They need this triumph to tie the Tullytown contingent for first place.

Rohm and Haas is still seeking its first triumph of the season. The chemical mixers, with Jack Stein at the helm, seem to be running into all sorts of difficulty and just can't break into the win column.

Franklin has dropped two of its three games and appeared rather weak against Tullytown on Wednesday night but a shake-up is due in the line-up of the Franklin club and this may occur tomorrow night.

BRISTOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Schedule for Tomorrow Night
FIFTH WARD—PROFY'S
ROHM & HAAS—FRANKLIN
Standings

	Won	Lost
Tullytown	3	0
Profy's	2	0
Fifth Ward	1	1
Franklin	1	2
Hibernians	1	2
Rohm & Haas	0	3

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HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS CHALK UP VICTORY

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 7 — The Bristol High Junior Varsity quintet chalked up its fifth win of the season last night as it downed Pennsbury's Junior Varsity, 24-22, in a thrilling game which was deadlocked four times before the Junior Warriors annexed the triumph.

Raul Stevens' field goal on a pass from "Walt" Holden gave Coach McClister's team the deciding points. "Jim" Gallagher had deadlocked the score by sinking a foul after Bristol had fallen behind, 22-21.

During the first half play, Pennsbury had the lead. Bristol failed to score in the first session while the Junior Falcons had five points. Coach "Cy" Bachman's team added five more points in the second half but Bristol came through with eight points to make the half-time count, 10-8.

Shortly after the second half got under way, the playing began to open up and "Walt" Holden knotted the count at 12-12 with a fielder. But Don Grimes and Shepard made four points to put Pennsbury in the lead, 18-12. But at the close of the third period, Stevens and Holden racked up goals to even the count at 16-16.

Grimes again put Pennsbury in the front with a two-pointer but "Charlie" Brady's long shot tied the count at 18-18. When Holden scored from underneath the net, Bristol went into the lead for the first time, 20-18. Stevens' foul made it 21-18 but Charles Pagels and Grimes followed with double-deckers for Pennsbury to wrest the lead from Bristol, 22-21. The tying and winnig points were then garnered by Gallagher and Stevens.

Holden and Brady led Bristol in scoring with 8 and 6 points, while Grimes had seven points for Pennsbury.

Lineups:

Bristol J. V.	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	F.T.	Pts.
Stevens f	2	1	5	5
Brady f	3	0	1	6
Gillies f	0	0	0	0
Gallagher c	2	1	2	5
Holden g	3	2	4	8
Wren g	0	0	2	0
	10	4	14	24

Pennsbury J. V.	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	F.T.	Pts.
Sacks f	0	0	1	0
Woods f	0	0	0	0
Turner f	1	2	3	4
Mayo f	0	0	0	0
Morris f	0	0	0	0
Grimes c	3	1	4	7
Bennett c	0	0	0	0
Loef c	0	0	0	0
Shepard g	2	2	3	6
Kimble g	0	0	0	0
Pagels g	1	0	0	2
Reed g	1	1	1	3
	8	6	12	22

Referees: Vozzi and Rowland.
Timer: B. White.
Scorer: G. White.

Bristol Leads In Marriage Licenses

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plea for connubial bliss of 328 of those signing the Bucks docket, 173 men trading single status for that of benedict, and 155 women making a second try. In addition 68 men and 65 women, who had lost mates to death complimented their late partners by again choosing the marital state.

In the underage group, 106 males and 385 women required parental consent, the majority of this younger group, however, being almost of legal age.

The past May also saw a run on Bucks licenses for a number of well-known stage celebrities. Theodore Newton, actor, took Emily Abel Balzer, actress, as bride; George S. Kaufman, distinguished playwright and director, married Leueen McGrath, English actress, and Joan Mortimer, actress, nonsuperstitiously chose the 13th of that month to become Mrs. Hugh Dryfoos.

Twenty-two of the states, the Virgin Islands and Canada were represented by a monthly average of 25 out-of-staters applicants. New Jersey provided the greatest number, sending 210 across the border, 30 came from New York, 8 from Washington, D. C., five each from Massachusetts and Virginia, four apiece from Indiana, Ohio, California and Delaware. Two each were from Tennessee, Maryland, West Virginia, and the Virgin Islands, and one apiece from New Mexico, Colorado, Maine, Kansas, Mississippi, Connecticut, Illinois, Kentucky, Iowa and Canada.

CELTICS WIN BOTH ENDS OF DOUBLE HEADER SCHEDULE

BURLINGTON, N. J., Jan. 7—The Celtic Boys Club, of Bristol, won both ends of a basketball double-header from the Burlington Italian Social Club last night. The first game ended 37-25, while the score of the second encounter was 60-59.

Mulligan was high for the Bristol team in the first game with 12 points, while he also led the second game scoring with 19 points.

"Charlie" Fahey led the Jersey team in scoring in both games.

Lineups:

Celtics	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
Schreiber f	5	0	10
Mulligan f	9	1	19
Wilkins f	4	0	8
McHugh c	3	1	7
McDevitt c	0	0	0
Cochran g	3	0	6
Stewart g	5	0	10
	29	2	60

Italian Social Club	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
C. Fahey f	8	0	16
Giagnacova f	1	0	2
Rapagna f	3	1	7
J. Fahey c	0	0	0
Powell c	4	1	9
Ferelli g	3	0	6
Boss g	1	1	3
Sandusky g	0	1	1
Jackson g	5	5	15
	25	9	59

Referees: Kelly and Neill.
Timer: Mazuk.
Scorer: Hoffman.

Celtics	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
Coffman f	3	1	7
Cochran f	2	1	5
Donnelly f	1	1	3
McDevitt c	3	0	6
Wilkins g	1	2	4
Mulligan g	5	2	12
	15	7	37

Italian Social Club	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
C. Fahey f	4	1	9
Jackson f	2	1	5
Rapagno f	1	0	2
Ferelli f	0	0	0
Sandusky c	1	1	3
Giagnacova c	1	0	2
H. Ross g	0	0	0
J. Fahey g	1	0	2
Powell g	1	0	2
	11	3	25

Referees: Neil and Kelly.
Scorer: Stewart.

Building Here Showed Jump During Last Year

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jects for which permits were issued during the year were: new building of Bristol Trust Co. in the first ward, $200,000; addition to present building at 1901-11 Farragut avenue, 6th ward $30,000; garage and display room in sixth ward, $40,000; addition to Bristol high school building, 6th ward, $20,000; club house in fifth ward, $10,000; five dwellings at Farragut avenue and Jackson street, $25,000.

Among the larger sums listed for new dwellings were: $14,000, 5th ward; $11,000, 6th ward; $12,600, 6th ward; $12,500, 6th ward; $12,000, 6th ward.

Alterations included $9,000 for a club house in the 5th ward; $9,000 for alterations and additions to apartments in the 2nd ward; $7,000 for addition to a sixth ward office; $6,500 for addition to a first ward club house; $3,300 alterations to a 5th ward dairy.

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Bristol's Most Urgent Needs, Shown By Survey, Topic of Discussion By Club

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rollment in grade one in 1953 was mentioned, "and from then on we will have it for 12 years." Supt. Snyder listed the cost of a complete, modern high school plant at three-quarters to a million dollars. He further advised "Personally I believe it could be financed with no undue burden."

The "dire needs" of Bristol were given by John Burriss, guidance counsellor, as: 1, A co-ordinating council of social agencies; 2, guidance services on the adult level. He further commented: "The adult is often just as much in need as the child; and many normal people are involved in problems." Mr. Burriss cited problems of young folks from his wide experience, reminding that "adults have the same type problems, but no social agency locally to go to for aid and support."

The P. T. A. president, Mrs. Johnson, told of hopes of that organization to establish a dental clinic here. One of her comments was: "The P. T. A. believes citizenship of any type begins in the family. Such citizenship must be extended to embrace the town, the state, nation and eventually the entire world." The objectives and purposes of the P. T. A. were outlined by the guest.

The Rev. Mr. Yeomans, who is also chairman of Youth Week program in Bristol, said: "I feel we have accomplished a great deal in the youth program in the past three years, and we hope to broaden the program this year to cover possibly six days instead of three." He spoke of the YMCA and its facilities, also of the fact it "has made strides beyond its financial capacity." The clergyman informed that an attempt is being made at the YMCA on Mansion street to set up a fine program despite limited facilities. "We need the 'Y' and we need the Youth Week program."

Need of more leadership for youth in general in the community was mentioned by several; and favorable comment was made of the part the Bristol Blood Donors have played in making Silver Lake a safe place for bathers.

Burgess Hetherington, who this week took the oath of office and entered upon his new duties as Bristol's "first citizen," stated when introduced by Mrs. Betts that he would be guided in his remarks by the Chamber of Commerce's suggestions. He took the points in this report one by one, telling of advancement along some lines, and of plans to bring to fruition other hoped-for projects. After reminding of the time of the Boston Tea Party when people were angered because of "taxation without representation," the burgess remarked: "Today we want representation without taxation." He mentioned the large number in the borough who, he said, do not pay taxes, stating that in the first ward alone names of such individuals filled six large pages. "But I promise they will be on the tax list after we make another check."

Commenting on places in the east and south he has visited, Burgess Hetherington stated: "But I still like Bristol." . . . "I have been called a radical. I am insofar as Bristol and its welfare are concerned. Bristol's welfare rests with you and me. Many of our evils are the result of our own lack of interest in the past. Many of us never think of politics until election day rolls around and someone knocks on our door. Many of you have never been inside the borough council chambers. If you support the councilmen, you'll get more from them. They like a 'cheering section'." The official informed that the borough wound up 1949 well enough in the "black" to support Bristol for the entire month of January. He added that "there are many things we would like to do, but can't because of lack of money."

He promised as one of his first tasks that of trying to get every eligible in Bristol on the tax rolls. "That will help our schools and borough. Back of this is education—not only of the children but of the adults. I believe that with continued effort on the part of teachers and elected representatives in Bristol, and added support of such groups as this, we will achieve almost the impossible."

One of the several suggestions taken up at length by the speaker was "attract new industries." In connection with this he mentioned the plan for "open house" at the Crescent Corp. plant (former Grundy mill) scheduled for Tuesday next, with the hope of attracting prospective tenants. He stated: "The present generation has fallen heir in Bristol to services that are very much run-down and almost worn out. Our water supply is not sufficient for another big industry. The water in the borough wells is dropping eight to 12 feet. Another thing—there is no available building space in the borough limits for industry. If industries build in Bristol township we cannot afford to extend our facilities into the township without the township bearing its share of capital outlay for services. . . . In 1943 the borough was first told it had to improve its sewage disposal plant. It was 'pigeon-holed'. But we were recently able to get temporary plans drawn up and submitted to Harrisburg. If the work was cared for when it was first proposed, it would have cost one-half as much as it now will. Regarding our facilities, we can care for more small industries, but large ones—No!"

Regarding the question of re-assessment locally, Mr. Hetherington stated: "If you were to make a study of the tax situation in Bristol you would be very much alarmed. The tax rate is very low in the borough. It is hard to find a place to equal it. What couldn't we do if we had a re-valuation? I have tried to get your assessors together." He then mentioned the number of apartments and business places which "do not appear on the tax lists." Further comment was "I returned to Bristol to learn that my parents, dead several years, were still on the tax lists. There is a real need for a re-assessment. How it will be approached or met I don't know."

One thought on the part of the guest was that some housing areas here "need abandoning," they being termed "immoral and fire-traps." He expressed the opinion that relations between the community and schools is much better than ever. He hopes for improvement in the paving of certain streets, and parking and garage facilities. Burgess Hetherington said to the club women: "Clean-up is an everyday proposition, I feel. I have suggested that borough employees with a truck spend one day a week in each ward." He scored residents who fail to cooperate when they improperly wrap or pack rubbish. Among the duties which he stated devolve upon him, the supervision of Bristol police was mentioned by the burgess.

The session opened with a brief period for business in charge of president Mrs. Elwood Goslin. Minutes were presented by Mrs. Michael A. Harrity.

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